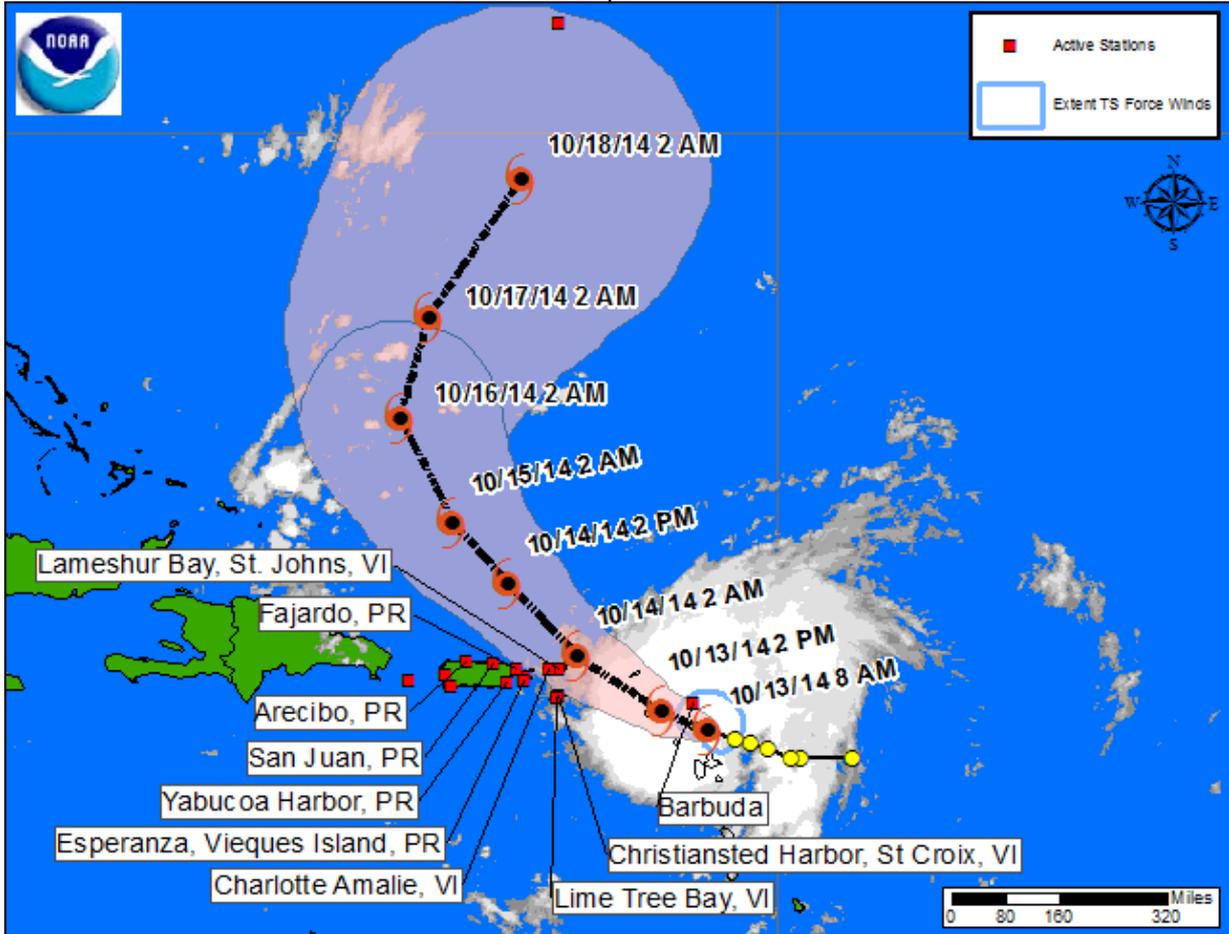




Tropical Storm GONZALO QuickLook
Posted: 12:00 AST 10/13/2014

NOAA and NOAA Partnership Stations Relative to the Storm



Storm Analysis

As of 10/13/2014 12:00 AST, water levels across Barbuda, the U.S. Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico are slightly elevated by up to 0.9 feet above predicted tide levels. Winds have remained below 20 knots across Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Wind speed on Barbuda has been increasing over the past 6 hours, with gusts in excess of 50 knots. Barometric pressure remains steady across the region.

Water Level and Meteorological plots available below are updated automatically. A line denoting Mean Higher High Water (MHHW) is displayed to provide an approximate indication of when flooding inundation may occur.

For additional data, please see the [Center for Operational Oceanographic Products & Services](#) website. For more information or archived products and reports, please see the [Storm QuickLookHomepage](#).

Analyst: TKM

SELECT NATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER ADVISORY INFORMATION:

TROPICAL STORM GONZALO ADVISORY NUMBER 5

1100 AM AST MON OCT 13 2014

...GONZALO STRENGTHENING WHILE IT MOVES THROUGH THE NORTHERN LEEWARD ISLANDS...

...TROPICAL-STORM-FORCE WINDS CONTINUE ON ANTIGUA...

WATCHES AND WARNINGS

CHANGES WITH THIS ADVISORY...

THE GOVERNMENT OF ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA HAS ISSUED A HURRICANE WARNING FOR THE BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS...AND A HURRICANE WATCH FOR ANGUILLA.

THE GOVERNMENT OF FRANCE HAS ISSUED A HURRICANE WATCH FOR ST. MARTIN...AND DISCONTINUED THE TROPICAL STORM WARNING FOR GUADELOUPE...DESIRADE...LES SAINTES...AND MARIE GALANTE.

THE GOVERNMENT OF ST. MAARTIN HAS ISSUED A HURRICANE WATCH FOR ST.MAARTIN.

SUMMARY OF WATCHES AND WARNINGS IN EFFECT...

A HURRICANE WARNING IS IN EFFECT FOR...

* BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

A HURRICANE WATCH IS IN EFFECT FOR...

* ST. MAARTIN

* ST. MARTIN

* ANGUILLA

- * PUERTO RICO
- * VIEQUES AND CULEBRA
- * U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

A TROPICAL STORM WARNING IS IN EFFECT FOR...

- * ST. MARTIN
- * ST. BARTHELEMY
- * ST. MAARTIN
- * SABA AND ST. EUSTATIUS
- * BARBUDA
- * ANTIGUA
- * ANGUILLA
- * ST. KITTS AND NEVIS
- * MONTSERRAT
- * PUERTO RICO
- * VIEQUES AND CULEBRA
- * U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

A HURRICANE WARNING MEANS THAT HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE EXPECTED SOMEWHERE WITHIN THE WARNING AREA...IN THIS CASE WITHIN 24 HOURS. PREPARATIONS TO PROTECT LIFE AND PROPERTY SHOULD BE RUSHED TO COMPLETION.

A HURRICANE WATCH MEANS THAT HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE POSSIBLE WITHIN THE WATCH AREA...IN THIS CASE IN THE NEXT 24 HOURS.

A TROPICAL STORM WARNING MEANS THAT TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS ARE EXPECTED SOMEWHERE WITHIN THE WARNING AREA.

FOR STORM INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO YOUR AREA IN THE UNITED STATES...INCLUDING POSSIBLE INLAND WATCHES AND WARNINGS...PLEASE MONITOR PRODUCTS ISSUED BY YOUR LOCAL NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICE. FOR STORM INFORMATION SPECIFIC TO YOUR AREA OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES...PLEASE MONITOR PRODUCTS ISSUED BY YOUR NATIONAL METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE.

DISCUSSION AND 48-HOUR OUTLOOK

AT 1100 AM AST THE CENTER OF TROPICAL STORM GONZALO WAS LOCATED NEAR LATITUDE 17.2 NORTH...LONGITUDE 61.9 WEST. GONZALO IS MOVING TOWARD THE WEST-NORTHWEST NEAR 10 MPH. THIS GENERAL MOTION IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE TODAY...FOLLOWED BY A TURN TOWARD THE NORTHWEST TONIGHT. ON THE FORECAST TRACK...THE CENTER OF GONZALO WILL MOVE INTO THE NORTHEASTERN CARIBBEAN SEA THIS AFTERNOON...AND BE NEAR OR OVER THE VIRGIN ISLANDS TONIGHT AND EARLY TUESDAY.

REPORTS FROM AN AIR FORCE RESERVE RECONNAISSANCE AIRCRAFT AND SURFACE OBSERVATIONS FROM ANTIGUA INDICATE THAT MAXIMUM SUSTAINED WINDS HAVE INCREASED TO NEAR 65 MPH WITH HIGHER GUSTS. ADDITIONAL STRENGTHENING IS FORECAST DURING THE NEXT 48 HOURS...AND GONZALO IS EXPECTED TO BECOME A HURRICANE TONIGHT OR TUESDAY WHILE IT MOVES OVER THE NORTHEASTERN CARIBBEAN SEA.

TROPICAL-STORM-FORCE WINDS EXTEND OUTWARD UP TO 70 MILES FROM THE CENTER. DURING THE PAST COUPLE OF HOURS...ANTIGUA REPORTED A SUSTAINED WIND OF 67 MPH AND A GUST TO 88 MPH.

THE MINIMUM CENTRAL PRESSURE RECENTLY MEASURED BY THE AIRCRAFT WAS 992 MB.

HAZARDS AFFECTING LAND

WIND...HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE EXPECTED IN THE BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS TONIGHT AND EARLY TUESDAY. HURRICANE CONDITIONS ARE POSSIBLE WITHIN THE HURRICANE WATCH AREA TONIGHT AND EARLY TUESDAY...WITH TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS EXPECTED BY THIS EVENING. TROPICAL STORM CONDITIONS WILL CONTINUE TO SPREAD OVER PORTIONS OF THE WARNING AREA IN THE LEEWARD ISLANDS TODAY.

RAINFALL...GONZALO IS EXPECTED TO PRODUCE TOTAL RAINFALL ACCUMULATIONS OF 4 TO 8 INCHES ACROSS THE LEEWARD ISLANDS...BRITISH AND U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS...AND PUERTO RICO...WITH ISOLATED MAXIMUM TOTALS OF 12 INCHES POSSIBLE.

SURF...SWELLS GENERATED BY GONZALO WILL AFFECT THE LEEWARD ISLANDS FROM DOMINICA NORTHWARD TODAY. SWELLS WILL REACH THE U.S. AND BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS BY THIS AFTERNOON. THESE SWELLS ARE LIKELY TO CAUSE LIFE-THREATENING SURF AND RIP CURRENT CONDITIONS. PLEASE CONSULT PRODUCTS FROM YOUR LOCAL WEATHER OFFICE.

FORECASTER STEWART

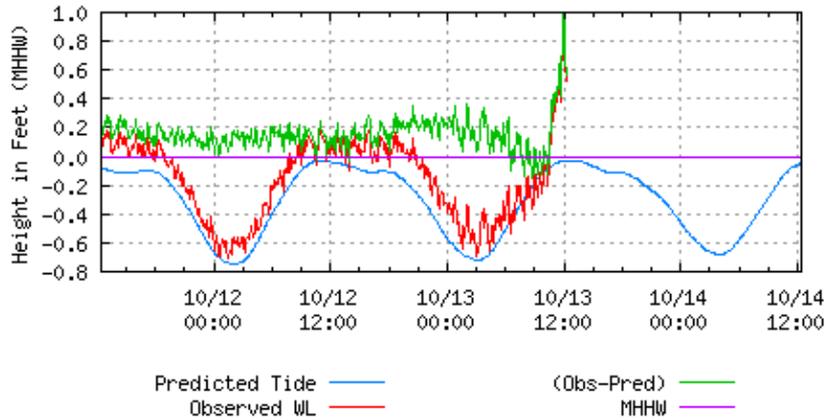
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For the purpose of timely release, data contained within this QuickLook have undergone a "limited" NOS Quality Assurance/Control; however, the data have not yet undergone final verification. All data subject to NOS verification.

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NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9761115 Barbuda

Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water (MHHW)



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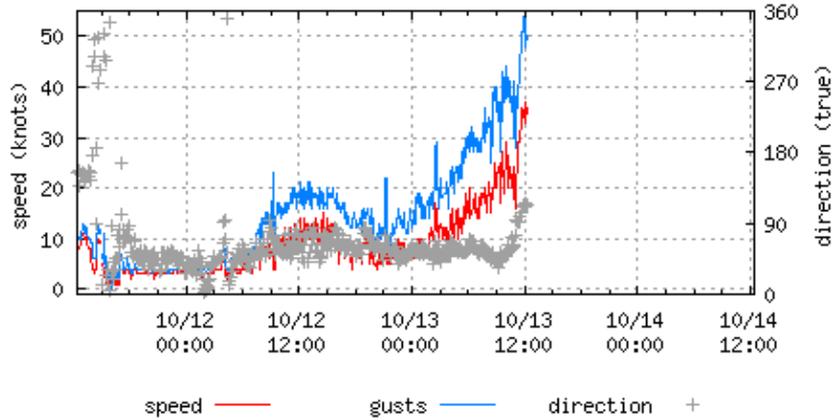
Observed: 0.52 ft. Predicted: -0.04 ft. Residual: 0.56 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 23 2012, 1.05 ft.

Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:51 (AST), -0.04 ft.

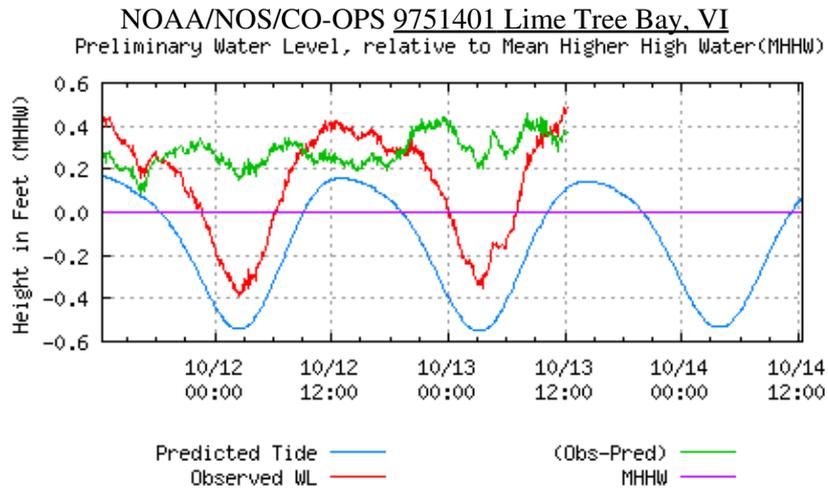
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Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction

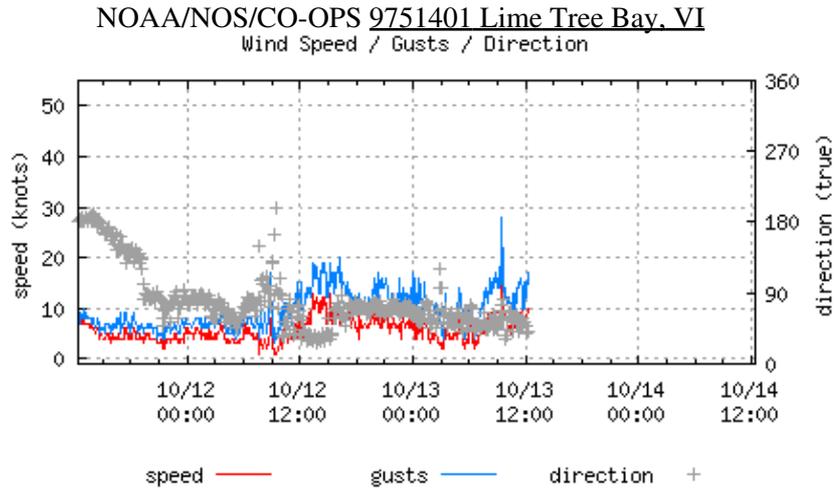


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Wind Speed: 36 knots Gusts: 50 knots Direction: 113° T

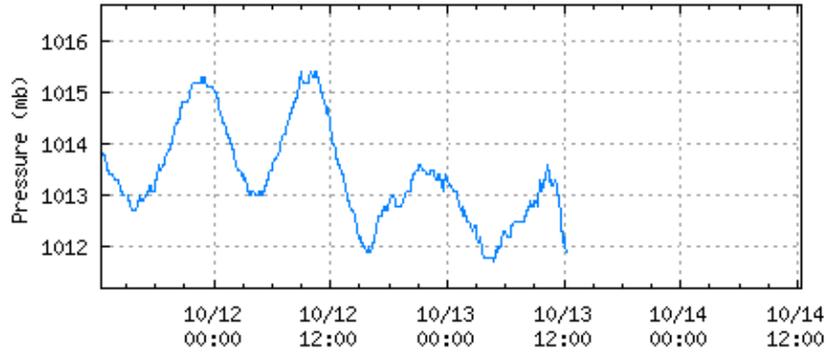


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Observed: 0.48 ft. Predicted: 0.11 ft. Residual: 0.37 ft.
 Historical Maximum Water Level: Nov 17 1999, 1.88 ft.
 Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 14:15 (AST), 0.14 ft.



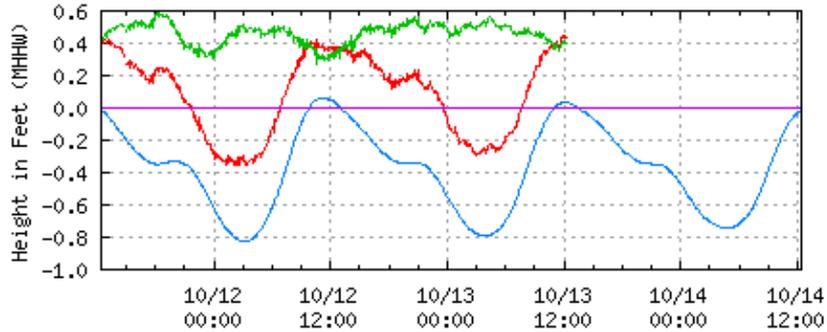
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Wind Speed: 10 knots Gusts: 17 knots Direction: 42° T

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751401 Lime Tree Bay, VI
Barometric Pressure



barometric pressure —
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)
Barometric Pressure: 1011.9 mb

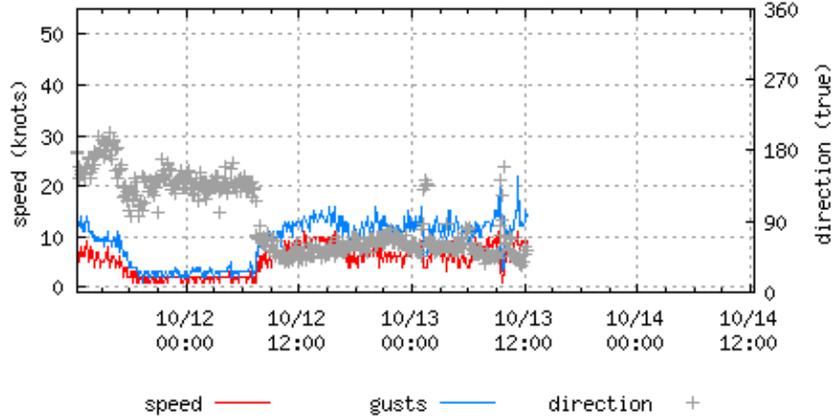
NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751364 Christiansted Harbor, St Croix, VI
Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water (MHHW)



Predicted Tide — (Obs-Pred) —
Observed WL — MHHW —

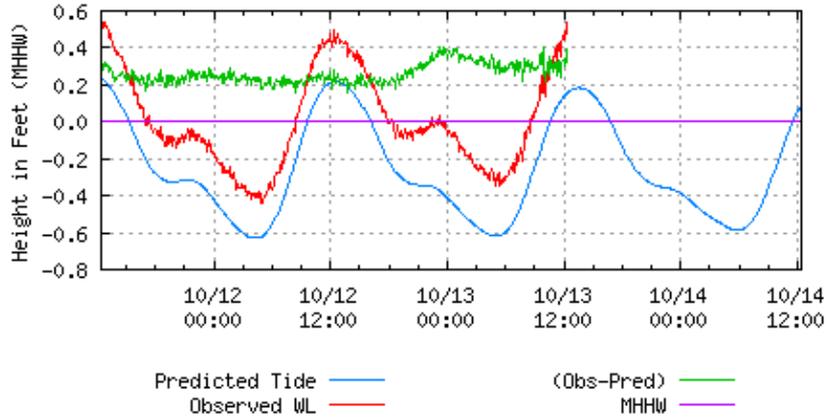
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Observed: 0.43 ft. Predicted: 0.03 ft. Residual: 0.40 ft.
Historical Maximum Water Level: Oct 16 2008, 1.17 ft.
Next High Tide: 10/14/2014 13:04 (AST), -0.01 ft.

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751364 Christiansted Harbor, St Croix, VI
Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction



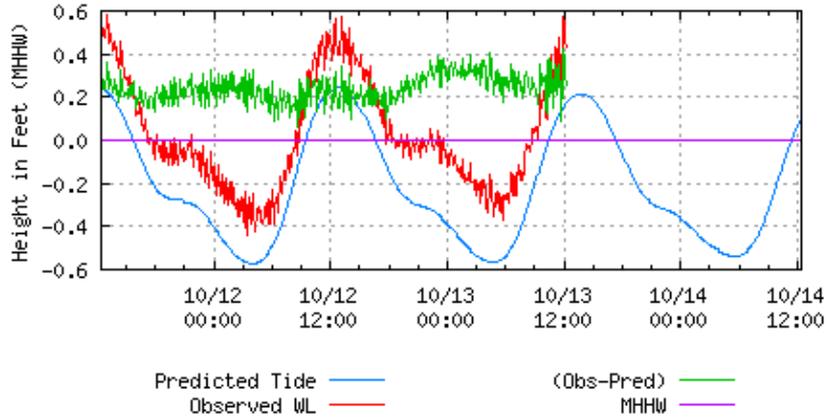
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Wind Speed: 9 knots Gusts: 14 knots Direction: 52° T

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751381 Lameshur Bay, St John, VI
Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water (MHHW)



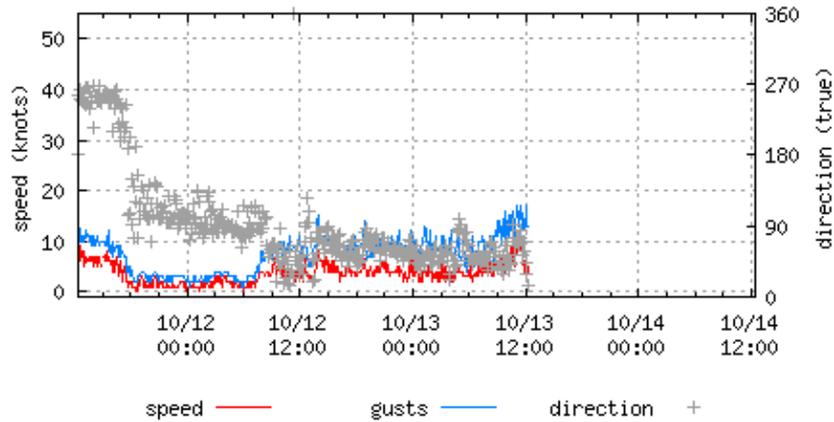
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST). Data relative to MHHW
Observed: 0.48 ft. Predicted: 0.16 ft. Residual: 0.32 ft.
Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 30 2010, 0.89 ft.
Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:30 (AST), 0.18 ft.

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751639 Charlotte Amalie, VI
 Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



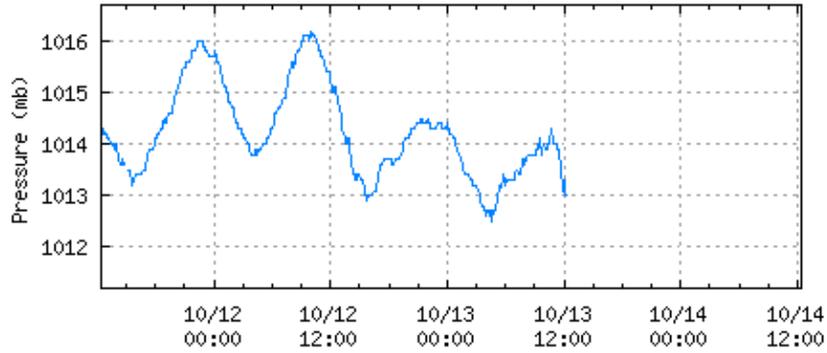
Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:12 (AST). Data relative to MHHW
Observed: 0.43 ft. Predicted: 0.17 ft. Residual: 0.26 ft.
 Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 16 1995, 2.93 ft.
 Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:44 (AST), 0.21 ft.

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751639 Charlotte Amalie, VI
 Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)
Wind Speed: 4 knots Gusts: 13 knots Direction: 15° T

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9751639 Charlotte Amalie, VI
Barometric Pressure

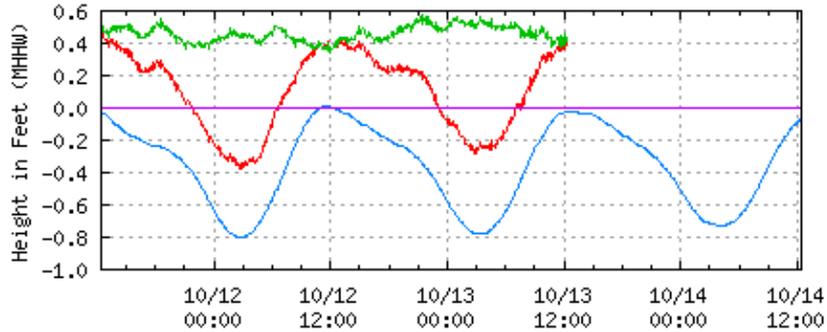


barometric pressure —

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1013.0 mb

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9752695 Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR
Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water (MHHW)



Predicted Tide — (Obs-Pred) —
Observed WL — MHHW —

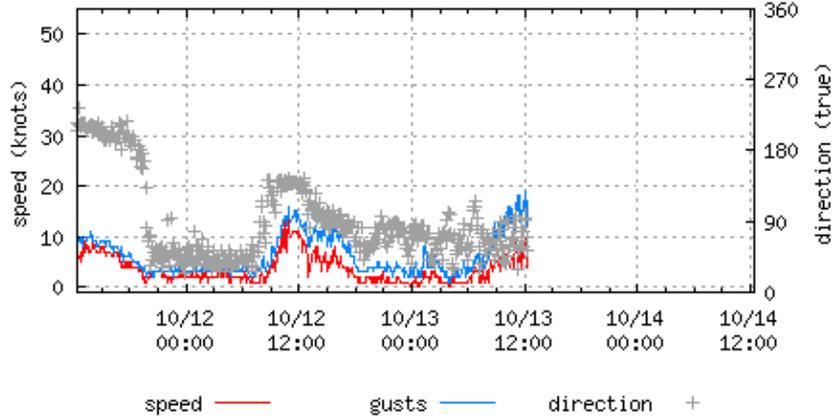
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Observed: 0.41 ft. Predicted: -0.02 ft. Residual: 0.43 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 22 2011, 0.99 ft.

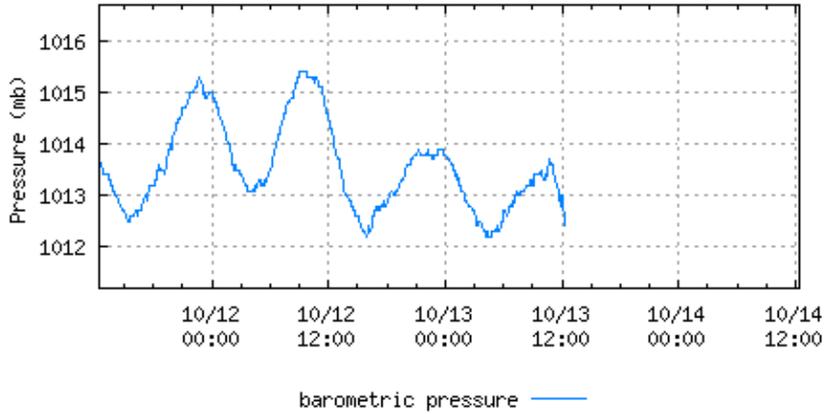
Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:32 (AST), -0.02 ft.

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9752695 Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR
Wind Speed / Gusts / Direction

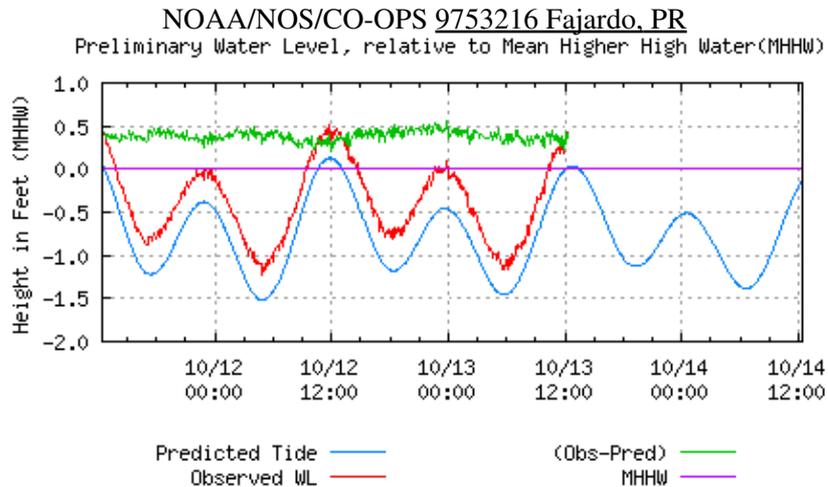


Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)
Wind Speed: 4 knots Gusts: 12 knots Direction: 70° T

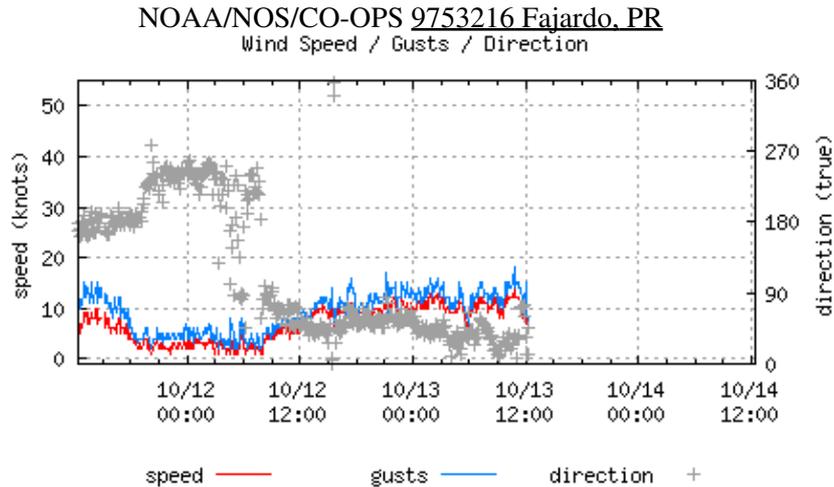
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Barometric Pressure



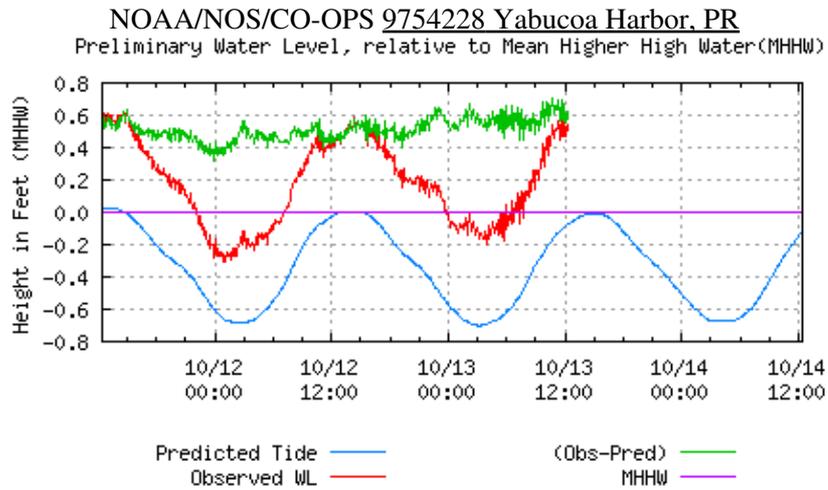
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Barometric Pressure: 1012.4 mb



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST). Data relative to MHHW
Observed: 0.41 ft. Predicted: 0.02 ft. Residual: 0.39 ft.
 Historical Maximum Water Level: Aug 30 2010, 0.84 ft.
 Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:43 (AST), 0.04 ft.



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)
Wind Speed: 5 knots Gusts: 7 knots Direction: 47° T

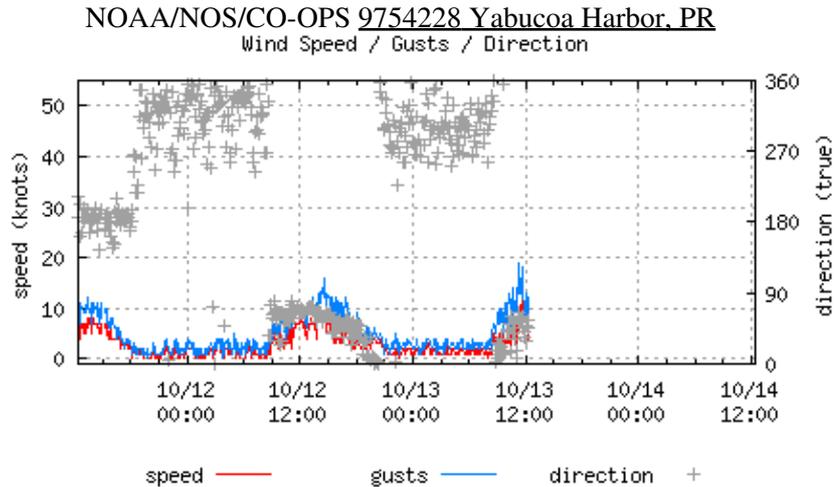


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Observed: 0.54 ft. Predicted: -0.08 ft. Residual: 0.62 ft.

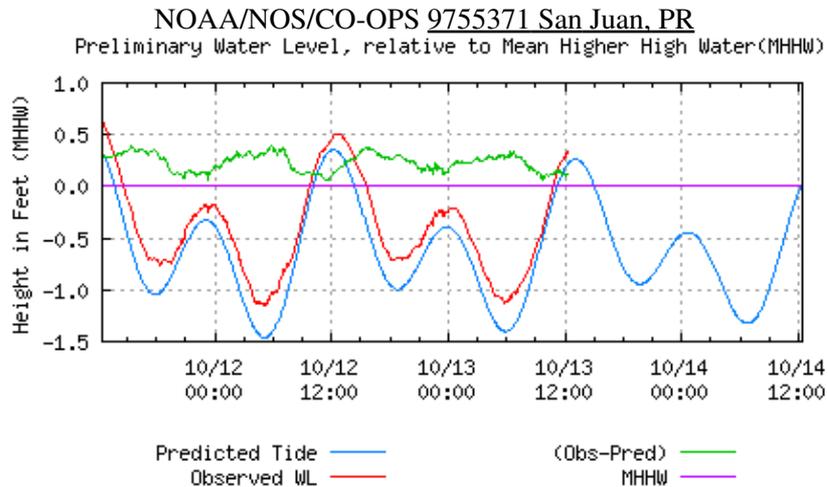
Historical Maximum Water Level: n/a

Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 15:07 (AST), -0.01 ft.

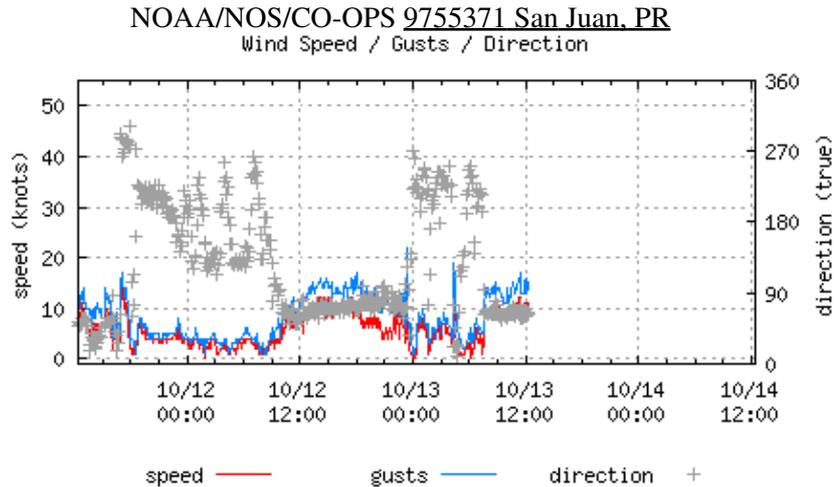


Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)

Wind Speed: 6 knots Gusts: 12 knots Direction: 55° T

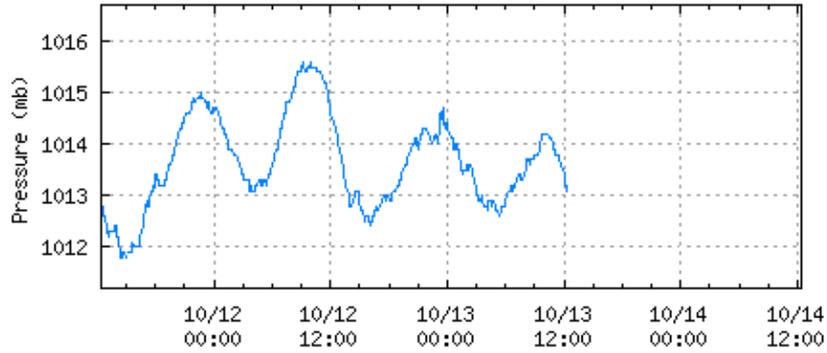


Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST). Data relative to MHHW
Observed: 0.35 ft. Predicted: 0.23 ft. Residual: 0.12 ft.
 Historical Maximum Water Level: Sep 18 1989, 2.77 ft.
 Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 13:03 (AST), 0.27 ft.



Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)
Wind Speed: 10 knots Gusts: 15 knots Direction: 66° T

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9755371 San Juan, PR
Barometric Pressure

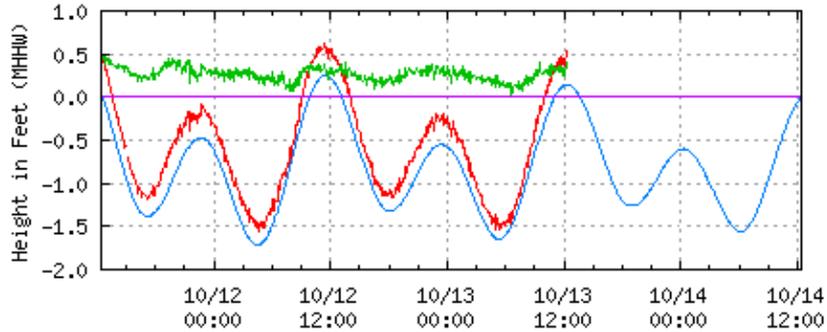


barometric pressure —

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)

Barometric Pressure: 1013.1 mb

NOAA/NOS/CO-OPS 9757809 Arecibo, PR
Preliminary Water Level, relative to Mean Higher High Water(MHHW)



Predicted Tide —
Observed WL —

(Obs-Pred) —
MHHW —

Last Observed Sample: 10/13/2014 12:18 (AST). Data relative to MHHW

Observed: 0.54 ft. Predicted: 0.14 ft. Residual: 0.40 ft.

Historical Maximum Water Level: Oct 8 2010, 0.90 ft.

Next High Tide: 10/13/2014 12:19 (AST), 0.14 ft.

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Latest Water Level Observations on MHHW

Station ID	Station Name	Date/Time	Observed Water Level	Predicted Tide	Residual Water Level	24 Hour Maximum Storm Tide
9761115	Barbuda	10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)	0.52 ft	-0.04 ft	0.56 ft	0.96 ft
9751401	Lime Tree Bay, VI	10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)	0.48 ft	0.11 ft	0.37 ft	0.48 ft
9751364	Christiansted Harbor, St Croix, VI	10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)	0.43 ft	0.03 ft	0.40 ft	0.44 ft
9751381	Lameshur Bay, St John, VI	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.48 ft	0.16 ft	0.32 ft	0.54 ft
9751639	Charlotte Amalie, VI	10/13/2014 12:12 (AST)	0.43 ft	0.17 ft	0.26 ft	0.57 ft
9752695	Esperanza, Vieques Island, PR	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.41 ft	-0.02 ft	0.43 ft	0.44 ft
9753216	Fajardo, PR	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.41 ft	0.02 ft	0.39 ft	0.47 ft
9754228	Yabucoa Harbor, PR	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.54 ft	-0.08 ft	0.62 ft	0.59 ft
9755371	San Juan, PR	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.35 ft	0.23 ft	0.12 ft	0.51 ft
9757809	Arecibo, PR	10/13/2014 12:18 (AST)	0.54 ft	0.14 ft	0.40 ft	0.54 ft

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